

## March 2007

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V.C. Andrews, *Broken Flower: Early Spring Series; Book 1* LP 19695

Living with her parents and brother in her Grandmother Emma's enormous mansion, Jordan March tries to be a good girl and follow her grandmother's strict rules. But one day, without warning, Jordan's body begins to change -- and everyone notices her in a way that seems dark, dangerous, and threatening. Suddenly the March family secrets are unleashed. Contains descriptions of sex. 2006

Maeve Binchy, *Whitethorn Woods* LP 19710

When residents of Rossmore learn that a new highway will bypass their Irish town and cut through the woods, they argue about the possible effects. Father Flynn wants to preserve the mystical St. Ann's Well located at the edge of the forest but listens to all opinions. Bestseller. 2007

Suzanne Brockmann, *Ladies' Man* LP 19683

Single mother Ellen Layne falls for handsome NYPD detective Sam Schaefer and begins an affair. When a stalker targets Ellen, she turns to Sam for protection. Sam takes a bullet meant for Ellen while trying to discover who wants to kill her--and why. Explicit descriptions of sex and some strong language. 2006

Rita Mae Brown, *Puss 'n Cahoots: A Mrs. Murphy Mystery* LP 19703

The second honeymoon of "Harry" and Fair Haristeen should be as idyllic but somehow it takes a deadly detour. Joan Hamilton and Larry Hodge, their Kentucky hosts, have promised them a week of relaxation, but a series of thefts, a bombing, and at least two homicides put re-newlywed plans on hold. Fortunately, felines Mrs. Murphy and Pewter are on the case, ably assisted by their canine sidekick, Tee Tucker. 2007

Robert Crais, *The Watchman* LP 19704

To pay back an old debt, Joe Pike--the enigmatic partner of L.A. PI Elvis Cole--is coerced into protecting Larkin Barkley, a hard-partying young heiress whose life is in danger after a "wrong place wrong time" encounter that quickly escalates and spins out of control. Violence and strong language. 2007

Elizabeth Edwards, *Saving Graces: Finding Solace and Strength from Friends and Strangers* LP 19686

The lawyer wife of former Democratic vice-presidential candidate John Edwards describes the ordeal of discovering she had breast cancer just days before the 2004 election. She recounts receiving an outpouring of support that reaffirmed her long-standing belief in the power of community, which she gained during earlier crises. 2006

Martha Grimes, *Dust: A Richard Jury Mystery* LP 19693

Scotland Yard detective Richard Jury investigates the murder of wealthy bachelor Billy Maples, who had been caring for Henry James's former house in Rye. Jury discovers that the victim's grandfather was a World War II code breaker, and enlists Melrose Plant's assistance. Meanwhile, Jury juggles two affairs. Strong language. Bestseller. 2007 B.J. Hoff, *The Wind Harp: Mountain Song Legacy ; Book 2* LP 19701

When Maggie MacAuley returns to the small coal town of her childhood, she has no intention of staying. Her life is in Chicago now. There's nothing to keep her in Skingle Creek. But the discovery that a man who has lived most of his life for the children of Skingle Creek is no longer the hero of Maggie's childhood but seems destined to become the love of her life. 2007 Karen Kingsbury, *Forgiven: Firstborn Series; Book 2* LP 19676

Dayne Matthews, a movie star and an adoptee, goes on location in Bloomington, Indiana, in hopes of locating his biological family. Dayne reconnects with Christian youth theater director Katy Hart as she copes with a tragic accident and awaits her stalker's pending trial. 2005 Karen Kingsbury, *Found: Firstborn Series; Book 3* LP 19713  
Bloomington, Indiana. Widower John Baxter wants to meet his long-lost biological son, movie star Dayne Matthews, before an upcoming family reunion. Meanwhile Dayne contemplates love and God as he faces a friend's pregnancy and his own feelings for Christian drama instructor Katy Hart. Sequel to *Forgiven* (LP 19676). 2006 Karen Kingsbury, *Moment of Weakness* LP 19708

Christian lawyer Tanner Eastman offers to defend a born-again mother who is fighting for custody of her son. Jade Rudolph's adulterous husband doesn't want the boy raised by a "religious fanatic." Jade was Tanner's childhood sweetheart and onetime lover. 2000 Robin McGraw, *Inside My Heart: Choosing to Live with Passion and Purpose* LP 19711

Advice for women from the wife of television's Dr. Phil. Includes a glimpse of McGraw's youth in Oklahoma, her thirty-year marriage supporting her husband's dreams and raising their sons, and her philosophy of life. Encourages women to make deliberate choices and accept God as their guiding light. Bestseller. 2006 Larry McMurtry, *When the Light Goes* LP 19712

After the death of his wife, Duane Moore returns to Thalia, his West Texas hometown and has trouble readjusting to life. The only consolation is meeting the young, attractive geologist, Annie Cameron, who works at his oil company. He's also

in love with his psychiatrist, Honor Carmichael, who opens him up to some major, life-changing surprises. Strong language and explicit descriptions of sex. 2007 Gilbert & Lynn Morris, *The Exiles: The Creoles; Book 1* LP 19669

19th-century New Orleans. Chantel Fountaine, has finished her education at the Ursuline Convent, but the trials and tragedies that preceded her graduation have put her Christian beliefs to the test. Neglect by a gambling, adulterous father; the accidental death of her mother; the supposed death of a sibling; and a dashing but unworthy suitor who loves her for her money. Will her Christian beliefs survive loss and tragedy? 2003 James Patterson, *Cross* LP 19671

Washington, D.C. Psychologist Alex Cross resigns from the FBI and returns to private practice. The respite is short-lived, however, when a former colleague recruits Cross to track a serial rapist. The case could finally lead Cross to his wife's murderer. Violence, strong language, and some explicit descriptions of sex. Bestseller. 2006 James Patterson, *Step on a Crack* LP 19698

Michael Bennett, a senior NYPD homicide detective, has a wife dying of cancer and ten adopted children of various ethnic origins. When St. Patrick's Cathedral, site of the celebrity-packed funeral of a former first lady, is seized by a dozen ruthless men, Bennett ends up as point man for the hastily assembled negotiating team. Violence and some strong language. Bestseller. 2007 Tyler Perry, *Don't Make a Black Woman Take Off Her Earrings: Madea's Uninhibited Commentaries on Love and Life* LP 19665

Words of wisdom from Tyler Perry's comedic character Madea from the movie *Diary of a Mad Black Woman*. Topics covered include love, marriage, child-rearing, etiquette, finances, and church, among others. Dispenses advice in a straightforward, no-nonsense way. Strong language. Bestseller. 2006 J.D. Robb, *Innocent in Death* LP 19714

Lt. Eve Dallas tries to close a case at the exclusive Sarah Child Academy, where Craig Foster, a popular history teacher who proves to have been poisoned by ricin-laced cocoa. Dallas wonders if another staff member or a parent might be involved, but after the prime suspect, a promiscuous teacher, turns up dead, the investigation takes a shocking turn. Strong language and explicit descriptions of sex. 2007 Andrea Smith, *The Sisterhood of Blackberry Corner* LP 19668

Canaan Creek, South Carolina; 1957. Bonnie Wilder and her church friends help women who give birth to unwanted infants by putting the children up for adoption without government interference. Thirty years later one of the children returns seeking her birth mother. Strong language and some descriptions of sex. 2006 Nicholas Sparks, *Dear John* LP 19667

North Carolina. After years of drifting, John Tyree, who was raised by a father with Asperger's syndrome, joins the army. While on leave he meets Savannah Curtis, a special-education major. The two fall in love, but their relationship changes when John reenlists after 9/11. Bestseller. 2006 Penelope Stokes, *Delta Belles* LP 19702

Four 1969 graduates of Mississippi's College for Women reassemble their once-popular musical quartet for their twenty-fifth reunion. Each woman has had her share of adversity in the years following college. Their reunion turns out to be much more than an opportunity to relive the past. As the old friends reconnect, they come to a new understanding of the meaning and value of their lives. 2006 William G. Tapply, *Out Cold: A Brady Coyne Novel* LP 19692

When Boston-based attorney Brady Coyne lets his dog out into his backyard, he discovers the body of a girl underneath the newly fallen snow. The teenager had apparently died, in the middle of the night, from hypothermia and blood loss. The single clue to her identity: a small piece of paper with Brady's address scribbled on it. 2006